

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Having Insecticidal Properties**

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Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Mail Stop Amendment

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated August 16, 2011, Applicants submit the following
Amendment and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 28 of this paper.

It is hereby requested that the period for replying to the outstanding Office Action be
extended three months from November 16, 2011, to February 16, 2012, by the filing of the
fee payment which is provided through online credit card payment. The U.S. Patent and
Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency (including fees for net
addition of claims) or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. In the
event that further extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent
application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.